

Weekly Construction Update – 8<sup>th</sup> December 2017

## Discovery Way, A511 Bypass and Tesco Roundabout Improvements

### THIS WEEK

Excavation works for the new right hand turn in and out of Discovery Way on the A511 Ashby Bypass have been ongoing this week. The old splitter island has been removed. Excavation has also taken place for the installation of ducting for the infrastructure of the new lighting columns and signs, this is ongoing along with the excavation works for the new kerb line. Top soiling of the new verges is now complete.

### NEXT WEEK

On Discovery Way, we will continue to install ducting in the splitter island and in the widening on the east side of the carriageway. The installation of new kerbs will commence along with the construction of the new splitter island.

### A42/A511/A512 Flagstaff Roundabout Update

Works to install traffic signs for the Highways England network on the A42 slip roads are now complete.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation during the works and closures over the past months. Your patience has been appreciated by our onsite team.

### Wacker Neuson DW60 Dumper

This week we have taken stock of the new DW60 Dumper on a trial basis.

With its smaller footprint and swivel bucket, that can be simultaneously tipped and rotated through 180 degrees, it allows material to be unloaded from the front and either side with more accuracy. The dumper is well balanced and its full time hydrostatic four-wheel drive allows optimum manoeuvrability in difficult terrain. Turf Tyres allow a firm hold on more sensitive ground conditions and in confined spaces. The heated/air conditioned cabs can be accessed from both sides and are designed for more comfort for the operator in extreme cold and hot weather conditions.

Will it be up to the job? Watch this space.....



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